

## POPULAR ELECTION OF SENATORS

The proposed amendment of the Federal Constitution providing for popular election of United States Senators has passed both the House and Senate, but in the Senate an amendment was adopted in which the Democratic House will very likely fail to concur.

The proposed change is in every respect one of doubtful wisdom and expediency. It has come to mainly because of the frequent cases of the legislative bribery that have come to light in later days, but there is no ground for assurance that the corruption evil would be cured by the change, while other evils of grave import would be incurred.

The Wisconsin Legislature has asked for the investigation of the election of Senator Stephenson of that state in which gross corruption is alleged, yet this corruption was not in the Legislature, but the Republican primary that gave the Senator his nomination. There is no question of the proper and entire honesty of the election of Senator La Follette of the same state, who was elected by the Legislature without a primary nomination. Senator Stephenson's nomination, it is alleged was purchased by the lumber trust. He is himself a wealthy man and expended a very large sum in the election.

Corruption in politics is an alarming and deplorable feature of the times and it is a serious question whether it is not augmented by frequent popular elections. These elections encourage the continued existence of a professional politician class with all the accessories of machines, rings, etc. Frequently occurring primaries and general elections give the professional politicians almost constant employment and the machines they manipulate never cease operation.

The framers of the Federal Constitution sought to give to the Senate a certain poise and reserve that it is not possible for the House of Representatives to possess. It was deemed advisable to place a check, on popular impulse. The wisdom of such a provision remains unquestioned and it would be decidedly weakened by the popular election of Senators.

The United States Senate for many years was a body of eminent standing. In no parliament of the world was it exceeded. Included in its membership have been some of the greatest names in the country's history. If it has deteriorated that deterioration will not be checked by throwing the election of Senators into the scramble of popular elections. Great men do not now much affect politics and the popular election is not inviting to men of the stamp that should fill the Senate. The experiments with party primaries, which are in some respects equivalent to popular elections, have not put the best class of men in office.—Nashville Banner.

## ENGINEERS MEET DEATH

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beside which his train was running. He was unhurt.

### PASSENGERS IN WRECKAGE

Inside the coaches was a scene of confusion. The passengers had absolutely no warning. All at once the coaches came to a sudden stop, partly through the application of the emergency brakes, and partly through the result of the impact. Seats were torn up and passengers hurled forward with such violence as to, in some instances, render them unconscious.

Nearly fifty passengers were aboard in the two coaches, about thirty of whom were more or less severely bruised and shaken up. Among the passengers injured was ex-Gov. McMillin, who was bruised and cut about the face, and who had his right hand badly sprained. He did not go to a hospital.

William Womack was the most seriously injured, being hurt internally. Fears are entertained for his recovery. Nineteen of the passengers were sent to three hospitals.

### Casey's Strange Feat.

Mike—The boss is givin' Casey a great call-down, an' Casey is takin' it like a lamb.

Pat—Maybe he is, but O'll bet he is griffin' his teeth behind his back.—Boston Transcript.

### A Natural Fear.

"So that's a new fashioned veil?" said Mr. Migglesley when his wife had uncovered her face. "I heard when I saw you coming that it was some kind of a disease."—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Too Rough For Him.

Alkali Ike—They have just taken Roaring Bill to the hospital. Pistol Pete—What happened to him? Alkali Ike—He tried to break up a suffragist meeting.—Judge.

### Much More Worth Inspecting.

"Johnny, you have been fighting. I can tell it by the look in your eye." "Yes, mother, and you ought to see the look in the other boy's eye."—Stray Stories.

### Equal Rights.

"What's parlor socialism?" asked Maybelle. "Having two callers at the same time and letting each hold a hand," Grace explained.

### In the Railway Smash.

"We haven't had any luck this journey, sir. If that train hadn't been in front of us we should have arrived on time."—Rire.

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## IN THE REALM OF FASHION

### Gown of Embroidery.

Broderie anglaise, or eyelet embroidery, as some call it, is popular in the designing of the white wash dress and blouse. The sketch presents a particularly chic model in broderie anglaise. The skirt has a center panel



WHITE WASH DRESS.

of embroidery, a wider band passing around the skirt just below the knees, giving the effect of a straight bouffant. The straight close fitting bodice is given the fashionable short waisted appearance by means of a girdle of embroidery.

### Rich Brocades.

Wonderful brocades are in the market. A gorgeous specimen has a gold tinsel foundation thickly embellished with a shaded rose red velvet pattern. White satin meteors, interwoven with golden flowers, are as gorgeous to behold as they are a sensuous joy to touch. It can easily be understood that such material needs an artist for its manipulation, as well as the purse of Fortunatus to acquire. Absolute simplicity is essential to its making, but it must be the simplicity contrived with artifice, with such handmaidens as rare gold and old lace.

## CHIC JEWELRY FOR THE SUMMER GIRL

Square Wrist Watches and Souvenir Locketts of Enamel.

Enameled ornaments are still very much worn, and new forms have been found for them. The wrist watches that are seen now are made square and very thin, with the face of the watch set in the center.

Not only are there square watches for the wrists, clasped round by means of straps of dove and pearl gray leather, but the new locket watches are of the same shape, and very quaint and attractive they look. Locketts are being sold again to an increased number of people, and especially as a gift from a lover to his lass.

A beautiful square locket made of flame colored enamel, symbolic of the ardor of love, has the words "For You" in diamonds across the front, while another has the more stereotyped words "Good Luck" traced in pearls upon the surface. The portrait is incased at the back of the enamel.

When a few seasons ago ropes of pearls with tasseled ends were introduced it was wondered whether the fancy for them would be a fleeting one or not. It has not only returned, but has brought in its train a liking for threaded pearl bracelets and for other ways of stringing pearls, just as children thread their beads to make necklaces and rings.

The effect is light and very graceful, and particularly in the lists of presents given to girl brides one finds numerous ornaments for the hair, throat, wrist and corsage produced in this elegant way.

The new cuff links are gay as well as dainty, and especially attractive are the harlequin sets. Each mound shaped end sparkles with stones of different colors, on one side rubies and diamonds and on the other emeralds and diamonds or other combinations.

### Panels on Skirts.

Skirts are narrower than ever. Mostly they have a flat stitched panel down the back, and occasionally they have a panel in the front, but their circumference is very limited and the material dark. The coats which complete these suits, when reaching to the hips, which is their usual extent, are abnormally tight round.

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Missouri passes laws forbidding any one to "sass" telephone girls, limiting speed of autos on country highways to 25 miles an hour, exempting undertakers from jury service, limiting woman labor to nine hours a day and child labor (under 16) to 48 hours a week.

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